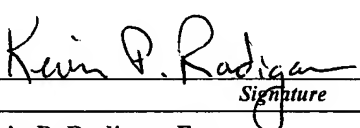

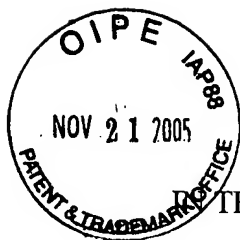


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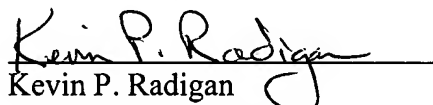
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Preliminary Amendment Accompanying Filing of RCE

Dear Sir:

This paper is filed responsive to the final Office Action mailed August 24, 2005, in
connection with the above-designated U.S. patent application. Further, this paper accompanies a
Request for Continued Examination (RCE) of this application. Reconsideration and allowance
of the application are respectfully requested in view of the Amendments and Remarks below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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